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In re application of:

John Mak

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For: Configurations and Methods of Acid Gas Removal

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COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS —NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

I. This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed March 10, 2005.

A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted (Form PTO-1533) is enclosed.

DECLARATION OR OATH

II. No declaration or oath was filed. Enclosed is the original declaration or eath for this application.

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COMPLETION FEES

III.

Surcharge Fees 1. Late payment of filing fee and/or late filing of original declaration or oath (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e))

\$130.00

Total Completion Fees

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EXTENSION OF TIME

IV. The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

TOTAL FEE DUE

V. The total fee due is:

Completion fees Extension fee (if any)	\$130.00 \$0.00
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VI. Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 502191.

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A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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The Office is hereby authorized to charge, in the manner shown above, the following additional fees that may be required by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application.

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 10/12/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 10/12/2004
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 10/12/2004
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 10/12/2004
- Copy of references cited in ISR filed on 10/12/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 10/12/2004
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The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

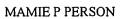
• Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION. WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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